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Applicant(s): Shintaro Tsutsui, Susumu Nagano, and Yasushi Katayama			Docket No. SONYJP 3.0-079 DIV	

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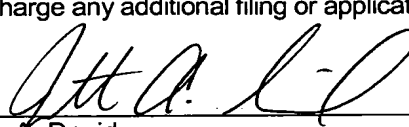
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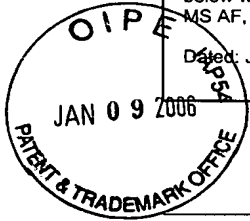
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 6, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1 through 9, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

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